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Serial No.: 10/664,803)
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Title: **Novel Pharmaceutical Formulation Containing
a Biguanide and a Thiazolidinedione Derivative**

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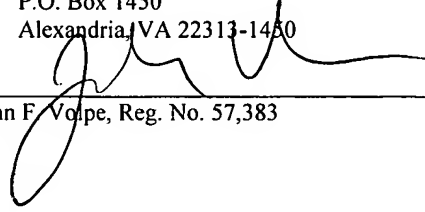
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